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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of: James Owen and Mary Bourret

Serial No. 09/352,734

Filed: July 13, 1999

For: METHOD FOR USING CONTROL SHEETS TO CONTROL SCANNING DEVICES

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- a.  Previously submitted:
  - Consider the amendment(s) reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Other:
- b.  Enclosed is:
  - Preliminary Amendment/Reply
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  - Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
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2. Miscellaneous

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- Other:

3. Fees: (Note: The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed)

- RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
  - \$375 small entity
  - \$750 large entity
- Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§1.136 and 1.17)
 

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